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The question, which the Supreme Court will have to consider in the Kentucky contest case, is jurisdiction. If the court declares that it has jurisdiction the case will end immediately, for the Goebels will never permit their deeds of infamy unavenged. It would shock the civilized world. The deeds of the ancients are lustrous, compared to those of the present Democratic dynasty at Frankfort. Should the court decide that it has no jurisdiction we should like very much for some one to clearly set forth what its purpose is, anyway.

The Republicans will hear in mind that May 5 is the day for precinct conventions at the various precincts in the county and the object of this is of so great importance that every Republican in the county should attend. The county convention meets on the following Monday at the court house in Hartford. At this time the Republican county committee will be re-organized, a new chairman and secretary elected, delegates elected to attend the Fourth Congressional District convention, which meets at Elizabethtown, May 16, also delegates to attend the State convention, which meets at Louisville, May 17, and other important business will be transacted, so let every Republican come and participate in this convention, which is to be a most enthusiastic one. Come, bring your neighbors and friends.

That assumed editor of the Herald, from all accounts, is giving its real editor a great deal more mental anguish just now than his past work profited. The REPUBLICAN is in no wise responsible for the acts of either of these gentlemen; it has frequently demanded that the assumed editor come out and fight in the open, but he has refused, and from all accounts, would really prefer to prove he was not in it. Its editor now accuses us with having charged him with gambling. We plead not guilty to this charge, from the fact that our contemporary offered publicly to wager us in the sum of \$50 and it stands to-day a sample of his own handiwork. It is, therefore, no charge of ours, but a sentence, for the execution of his own head, written by his own hand. He mournfully asks why did we not accept it. The public has our reason, and it can not be misunderstood. Of course, beyond all doubt, could procure the affidavit from his assistant that he had not written a line. No one doubts this, but what would it amount to? Having stood so faithful to him in times of threatened annihilation, the assumed editor would certainly not desert at this critical moment. We would suggest that the real editor read Emerson's essay on self-reliance and see what a splendid lesson there is in it for him. *Stipulation in mora*, he can present an affidavit at any time from his assistant, without waiting for us to identify him, because he is quite familiar with him and knows just how much work he has done.

### The Controversy May End.

The Herald of Wednesday boldly declares that the controversy has ended upon its part, and that it must drop. The REPUBLICAN is unworthy of further consideration. This is, in fact, all the Herald men can do, having brought about a public controversy themselves with us and having been worsted on every proposition, it is but natural for its editor, or assumed editor, to declare the controversy off, that the REPUBLICAN is unworthy notice. This is perfectly natural for them, being their accustomed manner of acknowledging a genuine thrashing. A hint at child always dreads the fire, likewise the vanquished views with abhorrence his conqueror. It is a well known fact that the Herald has had its way so long, that it finds in him who contradicts it, all the qualities and characteristics of a monster. The Herald has, at least, found a match in the REPUBLICAN, and like a school boy that has had a severe tugging by his classmate, finds solace in giving vent to his little feelings in epithets and abuse of his conqueror. This controversy was properly opened when the Herald put its "timely" questions to us and we were never in believing that the public is tired of this until it has been thoroughly aired. Notwithstanding the fact that we answered the questions propounded to us in the plainest language we had at command and in the simplest manner possible, the Herald's editor resorted to those answers in this language:

"The Hartford Republican, in an illiterate fashion, has been provoked to answer the questions propounded it last week by the Herald."

In attempting to mislead the public, the Herald of this week, refers to our dressing down we gave its editor, in our last issue for kneeling at the altar and offering a public wager with us, and declares that it is such uncalculated for attacks as this that led it to our answers in the manner above

quoted, the editor, or the assumed editor, knows that this church affair had nothing to do with his referring to us in the above style, and when he makes statement to the contrary he perjures himself. It is nothing but that burning envy and green-eyed jealousy lurking in his bosom that called forth such language, for out of the fullness of heart the mouth speaketh. The REPUBLICAN has never questioned the religious standing of any man, and the charge of our contemporary that we have attacked his private and religious character is unfounded and he knows every word of it to be miserably false. It is only to call the attention of the public from the real question under dispute. We merely expressed our surprise at a gentleman so consecrated to the worship of his Master and at the same time classifying himself with gamblers. But he shall not dodge the issue, on such a silly, unfounded and ungentlemanly attempt. The Herald asked us three questions, we answered them; we asked the Herald, in turn, eight questions and it didn't answer them, but asked for proof that Goebel made use of certain expressions. Two of these assertions were made in Louisville and one at McHenry. The McHenry assertion was proven by such men as Dr. J. S. Smith and H. B. Innes, Messrs. E. L. Myers, Peter Lauder and J. W. Field. The evidence of these gentlemen would stand in any court in the land, but it would not suffice for the little Herald, so it procured two affidavits, one virtually concurring with Dr. Smith, et al, and the other one was a flat contradiction of Dr. Smith's affidavit. The question now becomes one of veracity between Messrs. J. S. Smith, H. B. Innes, E. L. Myers, J. W. Field and Peter Lauder, on the one side, and Messrs. Rowan Holbrook, Shelby Taylor, Jas. F. Carson and W. H. Barnes on the other. We gave a brief sketch of Dr. Smith, et al, in our last issue. They are not politicians, but physicians, business men and laborers. These other gentlemen are all professional politicians. We do not desire to say who is mistaken, those gentlemen will vindicate themselves. We did what our contemporary demanded and here we close.

"The REPUBLICAN has not come up with the proof," says the Herald, "but, nevertheless, for its edification we will answer very emphatically the questions it desires."

There are the questions:  
"Can't you count me and you can't count me out?" (traded)  
"I have the election right there extending a right hand to the result I had the conviction," (traded)  
"The other fellow the Republicans may do the voting, but we Democrats will do the counting," (traded).

#### Q 1. DO THEY APPROVE GOEBEL'S STATEMENTS, ABOVE QUOTED?

"The Democratic ticket just nominated is to be elected. Under the operation of the Goebel election law the result is not left to chance," (Watterson to Belmont).

#### Q 2. DO THEY ENDORSE WATTEYER'S STATEMENT TO BELMONT, ABOVE QUOTED?

"I am ready to bet my soul's salvation against a reasonable belief that if there is any stealing done in this election the Republicans will not do it," (Belmont to Watterson).

#### Q 3. DO THEY ENDORSE THE STATEMENTS OF BLACKBURN AND WOODSON, ABOVE QUOTED?

"I have no objection to the statement of Watterson, but I have no objection to the statement of Belmont," (Woodson to Watterson).

#### Q 4. DO THEY APPROVE OF SCOTT'S ATTEMPT TO BRIBE THE BROTHER-IN-LAW AND FATHER-IN-LAW OF YOUTSEY?

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#### Q 6. DO THEY APPROVE THE ACTIONS OF THE STATE BOARD—POYNTS, YONTS AND FULTON—IN THROWING OUT THE COUNTIES OF JEFFERSON, MARTIN, JOHNSON AND MAGOFFIN IN THE STATE OFFICES AND VET ALLOW THE REPRESENTATIVES FROM THOSE DISFRANCHISED COUNTIES ACT IN THE CAPACITY OF LEGISLATORS?

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And this the answer:  
"The REPUBLICAN has not come up with the proof demanded, nor, nevertheless, for its edification we will answer very emphatically the questions it desires. The act of these questions, does the Herald 'condemn' does it 'condemn' does it 'condemn' of itself without utterance and actions of well known Democrats. The Herald has never felt that it felt duty to endorse the personal views, utterances and actions of every Democrat in the State, whether at great or little remove, although perhaps the conditions simply justified them. We have never stood and approved everything that has been said and done in the name of Democracy. True Democracy does not consist in any such wholesale endorsement. Standing up for all those 'endorsements,' 'approvals,' etc., into one, we will say that we do not sanction any of the propositions and alleged actions quoted except the Goebel election law. We are emphatically for this law and its betterment is desired. As to whether we believe that the Democratic ticket was elected by the popular vote of the people, we will say that it certainly was, after eliminating the fraudulent

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This answer is a general one, as our readers will readily discover. It will perhaps show up better after having been analyzed, the general "answer" is, "we do not sanction any of the propositions and alleged actions quoted, except the Goebel election law." The Herald is "sincere," we hope, in its declaration, so we need not harass it longer. But let's see what it does not approve. It does not approve Goebel's statements; it does not approve Watterson's "let out" to Belmont; it certainly does not endorse the statements of Woodson and Blackburn; it refuses to countenance Scott's attempted bribe; they do not approve the action of the State board in disfranchising Kentucky; they don't take part in Woodson's white, property-owners, etc. Can we believe them candid in their assertion? The editor and the assumed editor of the Herald have been endorsing the whole contest proceedings all the while and reproducing the Courier-Journal in every issue and when they declare that they do not endorse our sixth question, we do not believe them candid. By this declaration they repudiate their course since the election. Do they mean to do this, or were they willing to say any old thing to get these questions from the public's eye? We leave this question with the public, because they are *hors de combat*. Let's look into answer, Q No. 5. "As to whether we believe that the Democratic ticket was elected by the popular vote of the people, we will say that it certainly was, after eliminating the fraudulent and intimidated vote, which gave the Republican a majority on the face of the returns." "As to whether we believe that the Democratic ticket was elected by the popular vote of the people, we will say that it certainly was, after eliminating the fraudulent and intimidated vote, which gave the Republican a majority on the face of the returns." "As to whether we believe that the Democratic ticket was elected by the popular vote of the people, we will say that it certainly was, after eliminating the fraudulent and intimidated vote, which gave the Republican a majority on the face of the returns."

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"Nor do I believe the report that he is in New York attempting to prevent the honoring of a requisition for his return to this State. As to whether a requisition could be lawfully issued by Beckham or would be recognized, it is unnecessary for me to express an opinion, as there are questions that must be determined by the authority upon whom such requisition may be made."

"Governor Taylor has publicly declared he was not and would never be a fugitive from justice; that if indicted he would respect the law and meet his accusers face to face. Therefore, there remains but one course open to him and that is to return as soon as he can, walk boldly and bravely into court and meet the indictment like a man. Any other course would be rank injustice, not only to himself, but to those of his friends who have been accused of so foul a crime. I do not know whether an indictment has been found against Governor Taylor, but it has I have no doubt he will promptly surrender himself into the hands of the law. I believe that any intimation to the contrary does him no injustice."

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cultured and refined, the business man, and the farm hand, above all else is to secure the liberty of the ballot box; and with this the supreme determination and highest desire of the class of people that opposed Goebel, party prejudice and unpleasant memories will be forgotten. These men, that broke away from party ties on the account of the elevation and exaltation of force and fraud in their party, were the very best men in that party. We speak from observation of those around Hartford and judge that it was the case all over the State. These men with independent spirits and with respect for the right, honor and justice, will never compromise with their party on terms of dishonor. So let the Republican party greet them and give them a hearty welcome into its folds. They will do honor to any party they may choose to link their fortunes with and if the Republican party will do the proper thing, as we believe it will, there is no reason why it should not have this band of political reformers and independent, with these brave sons of Democracy will come the honest sons of the Populist party. They shall every one be thrice welcomed and we hope they shall find a permanent abiding place in the ranks of that party that is to deliver Kentucky from bondage. While we have party ties, and they are very dear, these noble sires had the same, but they have broken them and we should invite them to a seat in the council.

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### The Persecution of Governor Taylor.

For persistent, malignant and unscrupulous persecution, that of Dreyfus does not surpass the persecution of W. S. Taylor, elected Governor by the people of Kentucky last November.

The Goebel conspirators, during the campaign, paid little attention to Gov. Taylor, but turned their mud batteries on Gov. Brown and his followers. But from the hour the polls closed attacks on Gov. Taylor personally began; on the Governor himself, on his family, on his friends and his associates. No lie was too malignant, no lie too mean and contemptible to be published broadcast over the State to poison the minds of the people and to reconcile them to the loathsome removal of their elected Governor.

Frankfort became the very center of these falsehoods, and the channel of communication with the public was the Courier-Journal and Times. Mrs. Taylor did not escape these slanders. All sorts of stories were invented, and miserable, pitiful spies set upon her to watch her every movement and invent conversations for her.

Wherever Mr. Taylor has gone these children of Satan—who is the father of lies—have followed him. To his home when he went to bury his brother and sister; to Louisville, when he came to confer with his friends; to Washington, where he went with his counsel, these miserable penny liners have gone, and they have sought day by day by their innumerable falsehoods to bring the Governor into contempt.

There has been method in all this baseness; the purpose has been to "hang Taylor and damn the Republican party." The whole conspiracy turns now on convicting Taylor of conspiring to kill Goebel. That was the purpose of that \$100,000 corruption fund; that was the purpose of all the stories of alleged confessions published in the Enquirer and the Courier-Journal in turn.

The Associated Press, too, has been used to compass this end. Two weeks ago the Associated Press sent out from Frankfort a palpably false statement giving what the Associated Press said was the testimony of Senator Alexander before the grand jury. It was fiction pure and simple, but fiction with a purpose. The Commonwealth's Attorney, Franklin, made no protest, and Judge Cantrill did not threaten anyone with punishment for content of his court.

But this is not all. Another Frankfort correspondent pretends to state—and with an air that indicates the information came from someone who imagined he knew the secret of the prosecution—pretends to state what the prosecution expects to prove. This writer says:

"The prosecution expects to prove by Senator Alexander, of Louisville, that he was in Gov. Taylor's office when the shot was fired; that Gov. Taylor drew a revolver and ran out of the office."

The prosecution can prove nothing of the kind, for this statement is the one attributed to Senator Alexander two weeks ago by the Associated Press and by Senator Alexander emphatically denied.

It is all a part of the same plot; all a part of the same scheme to run Taylor by any means within reach. We republished yesterday in connection with the alleged indictment of Gov. Taylor the story of Mr. James Andrew Scott's visit to Winchester, and his conference with Mr. Wither spoon and Judge French. We would keep all of these facts in the minds of the people of Kentucky. This persecution of Gov. Taylor will yet react. The people of Kentucky have a passion for fair play; they play in the last thing accorded Gov. Taylor by his enemies, but the people will yet be aroused, and it will well for all to keep the record straight.

Let two things be kept in mind: First, the testimony on which the prosecution relies to prove by Gov. Taylor's action at the time of the as-

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### UPHOLDING TAYLOR

Who has been elected, re-elected and installed by the Beckham followers—like the Confidence of the Republican Party.

(Dr. P. Bennett, in Beckman's News, Dec. 1)  
How long will Taylor have to endure the tirade of abuse that he is being heaped upon him? He has already received his share tenfold from the Beckman contingent.

But the insult that has appealed to every sympathetic soul most forcibly is the way he was treated on the two occasions when he visited his old home to attend the burial of his brother and sister. Some gentlemen of high estate and journals of repute, even Henry Watterson, were heard to say "He has deserted the office." "He has played a prank on the Republicans," etc.

Yes, he left the Capital on a sad mission, but did he stay away? As soon as it was possible he was found at his post again where he will remain. He is a true, loving sovereign, whom every State "loving Republican" should encourage in this his darkest hour. Think for a moment what he has endured while trying to uphold our rights which were manifested at the polls last November. How many of us would have been lulled before now by the blackhearted lot of Beckman to lovers, who have at last called to their assistance Tom Campbell, the greatest scoundrel in existence.

I recently heard some Beckman advocates predict that Taylor would submit. I have enough confidence in him to believe that he will submit to nothing but the ruling of the highest tribunal. If that court should decide against him, he will step out as agreed and we will elect him again next fall.

Of course he is a broken man at present, but true friends are better than gold. Every Republican should remember that he has spent his all trying to preserve their rights. Let every Republican continue to battle for liberty and may they soon wipe that damnable machine out of existence and once more enjoy peaceful tranquility in our beloved State.

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### PROGRAM

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(Ella Carter, Edith Carson, C. D. Stevens, Rufus Carter.)  
Quartette . . . . .  
Recitation . . . . . Eugene Howard.  
Biography . . . . . P. C. Miller.  
Essay . . . . . Mattie Pirtle.  
Comic Songs . . . . . C. D. Stevens, Albert Ralph.  
Music . . . . . Georgia Wedding.  
Improvisation . . . . . J. A. Rhoads.  
Recitation . . . . . Lizzie Miller.  
Music . . . . . Maggie Marks.  
SUBJECT FOR DEBATE.  
Resolved, That the Schools are a greater organ of civilization than the Churches.  
Affirmative . . . . . L. M. Sanderfur.  
Negative . . . . . J. A. Sandbach.  
J. D. Stewart. J. A. Sandbach.  
M. Miller. Sam Wilson.  
Song . . . . . Fannie Cox.  
Biography . . . . . Ruth Shultz.  
Review of Poem . . . . . C. L. Patton.  
Recitation . . . . . Lena Miller.  
(Florence Morton, Artie Wilson, Lou Hoover, Lon Rogers, T. J. Morton, R. R. Riley, J. D. Stewart, Ch'm'n.)  
J. A. SANDBACH, P. C. MILLER, RUTH SHULTZ, MAGGIE MARKS, LENA MILLER.

### Weekly News . . . . .

Best for the Bowels.  
No matter what ails you, headache to a cancer, you will never get well until your bowels are put right. CASCARETS help nature, cure you without a grip or pain, produce easy natural movements, costs you just a few cents to start getting your health back. CASCARETS Candy Cathartic, the genuine, put up in metal boxes, every tablet has C. C. stamped on it. Beware of imitations.

### SUCCESS-WORTH KNOWING.

40 years success in the South, proves Hughes' Tonic a great remedy for Chills and Malarial Fevers. Better than Quinine. Guaranteed, 17c. At Druggists. 50c and \$1.00 bottles. 50-50c.

It troubled with rheumatism, give Chamberlain's Pain-Balm a trial. It will not cost you a cent if it does no good. One application will relieve the pain. It also cures sprains and bruises in one-third the time required by any other treatment. Cuts, burns, toothaches, quinsy, pain in the side and chest, glandular and other swellings are quickly cured by applying it. Every bottle warranted. Price, 25c and 50c. m. mar-may

### "I am Hale and Hearty Now."



writes C. B. Hill, of Marshall, Mich., "a living proof of the efficacy of Dr. Miles' Heart Cure. I have suffered 20 years from heart trouble, and became so bad I could not lie down to sleep. Physicians failed to help me, and I was advised to try Dr. Miles' Heart Cure, which benefited me from the first. I continued using it and now am in perfect health."

### DR. MILES' Heart Cure



**Fair and Co.** The Fair Dealers

## SPRING SPECIALS.

We will put on sale this week as a Special Easter offering a few TRADE-GETTERS in each department. Remember our line all through our house is complete, every department being full of the NEWEST and LATEST the markets can PRODUCE.

### Silks and Woolen Dress Goods.

Nineteen-inch Tulle Silks, newest shades at 75c.  
Nineteen inch fancy wash silks in pretty stripes, all shades, 50c.  
Newest shades in trimming Silks 50c, 75c and \$1 per yard.  
New plaid home-spun Suitings for Skirts, 50c-41 yards to a skirt.  
Fancy Crepeous beautiful quality 50c.  
Black all-wool and mohair mixed Crepons, beautiful quality, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 a yard.  
Newest Plaids for children 10c to 50c per yard.  
Newest shades Henriettes 25c.  
Suitable blouses to match any of the above.

### Latest Millinery

Can be found in our house to suit everybody. PRICES the LOWEST, STYLES the LATEST.  
Beautiful Sables 25c to \$2.  
Nice trimmed hats \$1 to \$10.  
Big line of Ribbons, Laces and Flowers. Don't miss seeing our line and prices. We are sure to please you.

One hundred of those pretty Pictures and Wall Pockets just received. They still go with \$10 purchases. Ask for a card. THE PLACE IS:

**Fair and Co.** The Fair Dealers

**Keown and Martin,**  
HARTFORD



### Liverymen,

CELEBRATED "BEAR FERTILIZERS," BUGGIES, BIRDSELL WAGONS, BLUEJ and BLOUNT PLOWS, DEERING HARVESTING MACHINES.

AGENTS FOR J. I. CASE THRESHING MACHINES.

FAIREST DEALINGS, LOWEST PRICES, THE BEST RIGS. GIVE THEM A CALL. EVERYTHING FIRST-CLASS. Telephone No. 24.

### Hartford Republican.

FRIDAY, APRIL 27.

See Carson & Co. for fertilizer.  
J. C. Riley has 3 milch cows to sell.  
If you are in need of clothing, see Carson & Co.  
Mr. M. P. Renter, of near McHenry, is ill of pneumonia.  
Miss Maggie Hall has returned from a visit to relatives in Louisville.  
Uncle Louis Guenther is in Owensboro visiting relatives this week.  
Mr. D. W. Kimmel, Ceralvo, was with us a short time Wednesday.  
We buy Hams, Chickens, Eggs, Feathers and Wool. CARSON & CO.  
Mr. W. P. Renter, Point Pleasant, made us a pleasant call Wednesday.  
Just received a new lot of Shirts in Silks and Percales. CARSON & CO.  
Mr. G. B. Likens, one of our attorneys, went to South Carrollton Tuesday.  
Superintendent Pon Rogers and wife are expected home today from Texas.  
Mr. W. K. Boardman, the Cumberland Telephone Manager, was in town Tuesday.

### Eruptions.

"An eruption never may bud, caused a burning sensation so I could not sleep nights. By taking Hood's Sarsaparilla it was completely cured." JENNIE THOMPSON, Box 36, Oakville, N. Y. Get only Hood's.

**"Like Father, Like Child."** Man is the sum of his ancestors. If parents wish healthy children, let them see that they themselves have pure, rich, strong blood. No taint of scrofula, no insidious unclean, lurking microbes or germs to be a curse to posterity. Purify the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the guardian of infants yet unborn. Buy it today.

**Hood's Sarsaparilla**  
Never Disappoints

### Dyspepsia.

"I had dyspepsia in its worst form and tried many medicines, but found no relief until I took Hood's Sarsaparilla. To my great joy I found relief and a cure. I am now well and strong." MARY E. BOND, Olney, Ill.

### THE NEW WOMAN.

The Female Argonauts of the Nineteenth Century Strike Hartford.

Our usually quiet little town was honored by a descent of the female chivalry of the River Green on last Sunday. They had heard of our many recent improvements and so, unlike their down-trodden sisters of the medieval ages, they went "en masse" to the river and by their formidable numbers, boarded, and, after a hand-to-hand conflict, captured a boat and all its crew.

The crew having been brought into a state of subjection, they turned the prow of their acquisition into the placid waters of our quiet little stream. The slimy denizens of the waters sprang into the wave with sudden fear and the brave old oaks and gnarled beeches rejoiced that the good old times of the war-whoop and scalp halloo had come again. The hawks wheeled screaming into the distance, and the wise old owls waked up in their holes in the trees and poking out their heads said "who, who?"

But the brave crew swept on like Columbus' men, though, like them, they looked to see huge sea monsters rise up to devour them. But they cared not for they were on the Path way of Knowledge.

Our good citizens fearing that the Shawnees were come again—because they could hear a fearful clamor and see innumerable feathers sticking up as the boat came round the curve, seized their rusty firelocks and went to the river's brink. But when they saw this bright array of female warriors, all but a few took to their heels, while the waves of the river raged furiously like Homer's Simois, in sympathy with the beleaguered Trojans. But even these took to flight when a forlorn hope of twenty made a dash at the bank—all but poor John McIntyre who was paralyzed by fear.

One of them said, "O, girls, we've landed in the Zoological Garden; see what a fine specimen!" Forthwith they halted him and went uptown to do a little sight-seeing.

The first thing that they saw was the telephone wires. They didn't understand it until one brilliant young scientist suggested that it might be a wire fence to keep the cow from jumping over the moon. Which logical explanation satisfied all.

The next thing they saw was one of our new street lamps. They made the unwilling John confess that it was one of the places of deposit of the Bank of Hartford and that the reason it was hung up so high on wires, was to keep the cash from being stolen.

The next thing was one of our store signs. They thought they were dead-falls to catch hogs with.

In the meantime the good citizens having a friendship for John, deliberated how they could deliver him. They finally caught a mouse and turned it loose by the court house.

"Then shrieked the timid and stood still the brave" in that gallant forlorn hope, but only for an instant for with a wild cry of fright, they turned loose of John and sprinted to their warship. Like the old Argonauts, they turned their adventurous bark homeward, but, alas, without their Golden Fleece—the specimen.

The board of Public Safety is now superintending the erection of shore batteries near the bridge.

A TOWNSMAN.

The price of the Evening Post has advanced and we will not be able to furnish it to our readers any more for \$1.50, but it will cost \$2.50 per year.

**GRANDMA**  
HAD  
**CONSUMPTION**

and I am afraid I have inherited it. I do not feel well; I have a cough; my lungs are sore; am losing flesh. What shall I do?

Your doctor says take care of yourself and take plain cod-liver oil, but you can't take it. Only the strong, healthy person can take it, and they can't take it long. It is so rich it upsets the stomach. But you can take

**SCOTT'S EMULSION**  
It is very palatable and easily digested. If you will take plenty of fresh air, and exercise, and SCOTT'S EMULSION steadily, there is very little doubt about your recovery.

There are hypophosphites in it; they give strength and tone up the nervous system while the cod-liver oil feeds and nourishes.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

**USE EAGLE BRANDS!**  
HIGH GRADE FERTILIZERS.  
SOLD BY  
D. L. D. Sanderlin, Beaver Dam, Ky.

## THE RIGHT WAY

The only way in which our store wishes to disappoint you is in giving you just a little better of everything—style and quality—than you are led to expect from the prices. We want to feel that it's the leading store under all conditions—that your money will go farthest—that it's the best results we aim at. That our policy is appreciated by thrifty buyers, we have every evidence.

## Early May Specials.

Brim full of good things for the May selling—choice novelties and splendid ideas you'll want to buy early in the month. You'll want to buy them at careful prices, too, and that's where we make it easy for you. Every portion of the store ready for you—every quality and price will tempt you.

Prints 4c to 6c. Percales 10c to 12 1/2c. Good factory cottons 5c. Black cottons 5c. Quilt lining 4c. The latest Cheviots 6c.

## Keep Their Shape.

It pays to buy good shoes—shoes made by makers that have a reputation to sustain. Such shoes retain their shape—they're the satisfactory kind. Cost you no more than just "common" shoes, if you buy them from us. The P. W. Minor shoes for ladies, the Troy shoes for children and the Cradlock-Terry shoes for men are our specials.

"Just a little more than your money's worth" is sending our business forward—it's making many new friends for us. May inducements in price and quality are, unusually interesting—there's not a disappointment anywhere in our stock in price or quality.

## Base It On Worth.

It isn't business to buy just any kind of tailoring—base it on worth. Get reliable work—such as is backed in every detail by a leading house. It's safest results we offer you in the Edward Rose & Co., Chicago, tailoring, and at prices you can easily pay.

## CARSON & CO.

## A BUSINESS EDUCATION

It is absolutely necessary to the young man or young woman who would win success in life. This being conceded it is of first importance to get your training at the very best rank—

**The Bryant & Stratton Business College.**  
LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY.

Seven experienced teachers, each one a specialist in his line. Graduates of this school are preferred by business houses. Write for a booklet, look at the testimonials from graduates occupying prominent positions all over the United States. It will be mailed free. There are other schools than ours, but none that can offer our facilities.

**FIELD & SON,**  
SOLE PROPRIETORS—  
**TRANSFER LINE**  
BETWEEN HARTFORD AND BEAVER DAM,  
HARTFORD, KY.

A FAST AND EASY RIDE IN THE MOST COMFORTABLE VEHICLES. YOUR PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

**Notice.**  
At a meeting of Preston Morton Post No. 4, the following comrades were selected as committees to arrange for the Decoration Day Services at Alexander School House on Wednesday, May 30, and a large crowd is expected on that day: Comrade Rev. J. A. Bennett, John C. Chamberlain, Wm. A. Carson, Ashford Milla, Daniel Hicks, Henry C. Shaver, V. M. Stewart, Thomas Greer and James Ashley. Comrades near graveyards will please call on Comrade Louisa Guenther, Q. M. and receive flags for their dead comrades' graves. A program will be out in time to show what will be done on that day. POST NO. 4, G. A. R.

"Ill weeds grow apace." Impurities in your blood will also grow unless you promptly expel them by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hartford Telephone and Exchange Company.

**INDEPENDENT LOCAL EXCHANGE TELEPHONE**

Talk being cheap and necessary, you should patronize home folks where you can buy your own lines and be in talking distance with the whole county and business points generally by only paying a reasonable rent in the Hartford Telephone and Exchange Co., or they will be at the whole expense if you say. Call on A. E. Pate, Hartford, Ky., for particulars.

We connect with all Independent Companies.

**THE BEST IN THE WORLD.**  
We believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to be the best in the world. A few weeks ago we suffered with a severe cold and a troublesome cough, and having read their advertisements in our own and other papers we purchased a bottle to see if it would effect us. It cured us before the bottle was more than half used. It is the best medicine out for colds and coughs.—The Herald, Andersonville, Ind. For sale by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro. m

**PISO'S CURE FOR**  
Best Cough Syrup, Sore Throat, Whooping Cough, Croup, Asthma, etc. Sold by Druggists.

**USE EAGLE BRANDS!**  
HIGH GRADE FERTILIZERS.  
SOLD BY  
D. L. D. Sanderlin, Beaver Dam, Ky.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keller, at Hartford, will regret to learn of the death of their little daughter, Francis, at New Albany, Ind., only a short time ago of typhoid fever.

On account of Southern Baptist Convention at Hot Springs, Ark., May 10th to 17th, the I. C. R. R. will sell tickets at rate of one fare for the round trip, tickets on sale May 6th to 9th, good to return until May 24th. S. B. VANMETER, Agt.

On last Friday, at Adahurg, one of Mr. Wash Wedding's little sons, was fatally hurt and died on Saturday. His remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery Sunday. The many friends of Mr. Wedding extend their sympathy to him in this sad accident.

The Commercial Telephone & Telegraph Co. informs us that their line has been extended to Horse Branch, connecting Horton and Rosine with Hartford. The company expects to reach Leitchfield in a short time. Here's three cheers to our bustling townsman, Mr. J. M. Mattingly, for his excellent work in the telephone business. THE REPUBLICAN stands for home industry first, last and always and is ever ready to aid a good cause. Citizens, help sustain our local telephones.

The Rough River Telephone Co. has completed its line to Cromwell and is an excellent one. The very best service is given by this company and its officers deserve to be congratulated on its successful work. In a short time the county will be laced and interlaced with the wires of our local company and while it renders such excellent service we fail to understand why the people desire to support a foreign company. When we can help ourselves, we do not need the help of others.

On account of meeting of the Louisville Jockey Club at Louisville, May 3d to 10th and May Musical Festival May 14th to 16th the I. C. R. R. will sell tickets as follows: Rate one and one third fare May 2nd to May 19th inclusive limited to May 21st for return. On account Derby Day May 3d, Clark Stakes May 10th and Oak Stakes May 19th, rate of one fare for round trip, sold for morning trains only, tickets limited to two days. On May 14th and 15th and morning trains of 16th one fare for round trip limited to May 17th for return.

S. B. VANMETER, Agt.

### Marriages.

Mr. Bluford Craig, Westerfield, to Miss Loretta Simmons, Westerfield. Date of marriage, April 20th.

Mr. P. C. Brown, Rockport, to Miss Nancy R. Shultz, Prentiss. Date of marriage, April 22d.

Mr. Herbert E. Shacklett, Point Pleasant, to Miss Addie Brown, Point Pleasant. Date of marriage, April 22d.

Mr. V. W. Sanderlin, Hartford, to Miss Leola B. Ward, Hartford. Date of marriage, April 22d.

Mr. M. C. Young, White Run, to Miss Lanie Simpson, White Run. Date of marriage, April 24th.

### Sudden Death.

Mr. William Brown, aged 73 years, died very suddenly at his home, near West Providence, last Sunday at 1 p. m. That morning he ate a hearty breakfast and was seemingly in the best of health until a few moments before death. On Monday his remains were interred in West Providence Cemetery and his funeral will be preached the second Sunday in May by Rev. Jones, pastor of that church.

Mr. Brown was born only a short distance from where he died and passed his useful days in the same neighborhood. He was a member of the Baptist Church for over fifty years and will be greatly missed in that congregation. He was an honest, upright and highly respected citizen and enjoyed the esteem of all with whom he came in contact. THE REPUBLICAN extends condolence to the bereaved family.

**COLLEGE NOTES.**

Messrs. James Sanderlin and Henry Hall were pleasant callers at Ex. Friday morning.

Mr. J. A. Sandbach visited relatives at Olanton Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Geo. W. Bennett made a flying trip to the college Saturday.

Mr. Eugene Kimmel after a brief illness has resumed his work in school.

Miss Oma Campbell was a welcome visitor at Ex. Wednesday morning.

Mr. Henry Addington, of Centertown, was a visitor at the College Wednesday.

Miss Mary Wedding was a pleasant caller at Ex. Thursday morning.

STUDENT.

### Republican Convention.

Pursuant to a call of the Republican State Central Committee, the Republicans of Ohio county are called to meet in a delegated convention at the Court House, in Hartford, on Monday, May 7, 1900, at 1 p. m. for the purpose of electing delegates to attend the State Convention which meets at Louisville, May 17th, and also to elect delegates to attend the Fourth Congressional District Convention which meets at Elizabethtown, May 16th, and also to reorganize the County Committee, of Ohio county, a precinct convention is also called to meet in each of the precincts in said county, at the voting places thereof on Saturday, May 5, 1900, at 2 p. m. for the purpose of electing delegates to attend said county convention also in order to elect delegates to vote for two members at large of the county committee and to elect one member of the county committee for each of said precincts, which committee shall be elected by the precinct convention. The representation in the county convention shall be from the several voting precincts as follows:

East Hartford 6, West Hartford 5, Boda 5, Sulphur Springs 5, Magan 6, Cromwell 6, Cool Springs 2, North Rockport 3, South Rockport 3, Select 4, Horse Branch 5, Rosine 8, West Beaver Dam 4, East Beaver Dam 3, McHenry 6, Centertown 5, Snaresville 2, East Adahurg 5, West Adahurg 5, Minaville 3, Shreve 3, Olanton 3, Bulord 2, Bartlett 4, Hufnir 2, Ceralvo 2, Point Pleasant 2, Narrows 2.  
JNO P. MORTON, Ch'm'n.  
M. S. RAGLAND, Sec'y.

Agents on salary of \$15.00 per week and expenses; the greatest agent sent ever produced; every stock and poultry raiser buys it on sight. Hustlers wanted. Reference, Address, with stamp American Mfg. Co., Terre Haute, Ind. 29 11

### Col. Colson Acquitted.

In just eighteen minutes ex-Congressman David G. Colson was acquitted of murder. At 6:30 o'clock Saturday evening a verdict of not guilty was rendered in the Franklin circuit court, Judge Herndon temporarily presiding.

Instantly the crowd in the chamber burst into wild cheering. But Colson standing pale and silent near his lawyer, moved not a muscle. Of all the men the big room he was perhaps the most composed. To the end he remained a man of iron.

The last act of Kentucky's greatest tragedies was enacted after a day of fervid oratory and impassioned argument. The lawyers for the commonwealth on Friday practically abandoned all hope of securing a conviction for murder on the account of the killing of Lieutenant Ethelbert Scott in the lobby of the Capital Hotel. All their efforts were for getting a verdict for manslaughter. They fought a gallant uphill fight, but the evidence was all or nearly all on the other side.

The acquittal of Colson for the killing of Scott amounts to the dropping of all prosecution against him. He will not be arraigned on the indictment charging him with the murder of Luther Demaree, of Shelbyville. He left Sunday for Middlesboro, where his aged mother lies ill.

## BLUES

Ever have them? Then we can't tell you anything about them. You know how dark everything looks and how you are about ready to give up. Somehow, you can't throw off the terrible depression. Are things really so blue? Isn't it your nerves, after all? That's where the trouble is. Your nerves are being poisoned from the impurities in your blood.

## Ayer's Sarsaparilla

purifies the blood and gives power and stability to the nerves. It makes health and strength, activity and cheerfulness.

This is what "Ayer's" will do for you. It's the oldest Sarsaparilla in the land, the kind that was old before other Sarsaparillas were known.

This also accounts for the saying, "One bottle of Ayer's is worth three bottles of the ordinary kind."

\$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

**Write the Doctor.**  
If you have any complex skin disease and desire the best medical advice you can possibly receive, write the doctor freely. A 3 in will receive a prompt reply. Write to Dr. J. C. Ayer, Lowell, Mass.

Walker's Tonic contributes to mental cheerfulness and enables the muscular system to withstand fatigue. Walker's Tonic antagonizes Heart Failure. It is a nerve tonic, allaying pain due to nervous tension. It stimulates the digestive organs and increases the appetite. Good druggists sell it.



